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APPLICANT: BOLOURCHI, FARHAD et al.)
SERIAL NUMBER: 09/990,741) Group Art Unit: 3611
FILED: November 21, 2001) Examiner: LUM, IRE S.
FOR: FUEL CONTROL FOR ACTIVE) Confirmation No. 3330
STEERING)


Commissioner for Patents
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AMENDMENT - RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

This amendment is submitted in response to the Office Action dated December 11, 2003. Please enter the amendments in light of the following remarks. Allowance of all claims is respectfully requested.

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CERTIFICATE OF TRANSMISSION BY FACSIMILE (37 CFR 1.8)			Docket No. DP-305668
Applicant(s): Bolourchi, Farhad et al.			
Serial No. 09/990,741	Filing Date November 21, 2001	Examiner Lum, Lee S.	Group Art Unit 3611
Invention: FEEL CONTROL FOR ACTIVE STEERING			RECEIVED CENTRAL FAX CENTER FEB 19 2004
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Invention: FEEL CONTROL FOR ACTIVE STEERING					
<u>TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:</u>					
Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.					
The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.					
CLAIMS AS AMENDED					
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST # PREV. PAID FOR	NUMBER EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	26 -	27 =	0 x	\$18.00	\$0.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	7 -	7 =	0 x	\$86.00	\$0.00
Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) <input type="checkbox"/>					\$0.00
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT					\$0.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No additional fee is required for amendment. <input type="checkbox"/> Please charge Deposit Account No. _____ in the amount of _____ <input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of _____ to cover the filing fee is enclosed. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-1130 <input type="checkbox"/> Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.					
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